

our agribusiness organizations in the state as well as our agricultural lenders, I think the forgotten party in all of this is really the farmer or the livestock producer out there who is impacted by many of the decisions that we have made on the central filing system and Uniform Commercial Code. And so, like Senator Schmit, I guess I have some concerns. My concerns are more upon the shoulders of that individual producer who, as I said, seems to be the forgotten party in all of this, and the more red tape that you put that individual through. It seems to me everybody is trying to protect themselves at the expense of the farmer who has as difficult a time making it in the world today as anyone. And I guess, as I said, I don't want this individual to be the forgotten party in all of this, and I am going to try and follow it much more closely, and I will be interested in hearing Senator Rogers' responses to some of Senator Schmit's questions as well as others that I hope I will have for Senator Rogers on Select File.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, Senator Johnson. Senator Rogers, your light is on. Waives. Any other discussion, then, on the motion to advance the bill? Any closing statement, Senator Rogers?

SENATOR ROGERS: I might make a statement on Senator Schmit's question. The reply from the bank does not specify certified mail, and that is the only response I have. I would move to advance the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. You have heard the motion by Senator Rogers to advance LB 101 to E & R Initial. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 101 is advanced. Before going to the A bill, the Chair is pleased to announce that Senator Hefner has some guests under the north balcony. They are Jim Kounousky of Plainview, Nebraska and Leo Schulte of Hartington, Nebraska. Would you gentlemen stand. Thank you for visiting with us today. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 101A, a bill offered by Senator Rogers. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on February 12, referred to General File. I have no amendments.